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Dear David

The Pylon still lies at the wharf and gives me the opportunity of telling you the latest news. Mrs. White and her Colleague have lost the suit. She wrote me a most sad letter last Saturday, but says that so far she has been kept from saying a single hard word about it although Rebecca is rather outrageous. She fears that all her hopes of doing good & getting pleasure with her money are dashed and fears for you take no doubt more than from any other cause. I wrote her yesterday.

Have not heard from Colchester or from your sister Carry for a month or more. A delightful work of grace is manifest in Yale and in N. Haven generally; very quiet & sober, too. The Churches here are also refreshed; Dr. Alexander will receive a number. Everybody is talking about the World Convention in London, but many consider its results, utopia. Some "New Englander" — perhaps you will guess Bacon — has put out a long piece in the Evangelist telling how he thinks it ought to be conducted. He would have it a meeting of religious inquiry as to the state & means of religion in the world.

The Cambria arrived yesterday & was run against at Cape Cod — and brings peaceable news. Louis Philippe was shot at again. Navarez turned out of Spain, — Victoria incited, — Paul in danger (and if he falls, Great Britain threatened with fearful times) — Irish starving and furious. — Alas the misery of man. — I am still greatly pleased

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